

### EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

The application has been amended as follows:

Claim 9 recites, "...to select a subchannel of the main channel..." The Office assumes "subchannel" <sup>on line 6,</sup> to be --sub-channel--.

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### Allowable Subject Matter

2. Claims 1-4 and 9 are allowed.

3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

Regarding Claims 1 and 9, Ellis discloses that the control unit references channel information to thereby select an upward/downward adjacent sub-channel in the main channel (Figure 11, 85, Page 5, paragraphs 0064-0068), the control unit references the channel information to thereby select an upward/downward adjacent sub-channel in the main channel through which a broadcast is being received currently, each time the UP/DOWN key is operated (Page 2, paragraph 0036, Figure 5, Figure 11, Page 5, paragraphs 0064-0068); selects a sub-channel having the largest sub-channel number,